

STATE

COUNTY

TOWN OR VICINITY

MASS.

Nantucket

Siasconset

BROADWAY

INDEX NUMBER

MONUMENT

MASS, 10-SCON, 1

Betsey Cary Cottage "SHANUNGA"

REPRESENTED IN
NEGATIVE FILE

H.A.B.S. SURVEY NO.

MASS. 610

Description - Wood, 1½ stories
with 1 story lean-to. History -PUBLISHED
PHOTOGRAPHS

The original part of the house was a
fisherman's cottage built about 1682 in the
village of "Peedee" at Sesachacha Pond and
later moved to the present site in Siasconset

PUBLISHED
DRAWINGS

The structure was added to in 1782.
the lean-to was added at a later but unknown
date.

(over)



12 COTTAGE HAS ALSO BEEN KNOWN AS CAPT. 1.
The cottage has also been known as Capt. Wm.
Baxter House. "Shannuga", after a vessel by that
name wrecked below the cliff, whose nameboard washed
ashore and was affixed to the cottage.

Author of card-
Russell Jones, Architect
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